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T. ARNOLD,

Secretary.

Hongkong, August 25, 1886. 1633

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Ports TO-MORROW, the 26th Instant, at

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Hongkong, August 25, 1886. 1629

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Hongkong, August 25, 1886. 1631

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FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.

The Co.'s Steamship

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despatched for the above

Ports on SUNDAY, the 29th Instant, at

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Hongkong, August 25, 1886. 1630

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED.

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Hongkong, August 25, 1886. 1632

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

August 25, 1886.

Yaroslavl, Russian ship, 1,090, Rqouli,

Nagasaki August 20, Ballast, Ouder.

Tamsui, British steamer, 910, Fawcett,

Sydney August 3, Townsville 9, Cooktown

11, and Thursday Island 13, Coal.—Bur-

terfield & Swire.

Haiphong, British steamer, 277, J. S.

Roach, Tamsui August 21, and Amoy 25,

General.—DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO.

Peking, British steamer, 905, G. Hour-

mann, Shanghai August 22, General.—

SIEMSEN & CO.

George Curtis, American ship, 1,740,

Sproul, Shanghai July 31, Ballast.—Mas-

ter.

Fortuna, Siamese barque, 447, S. L.

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mann, Shanghai August 22, General.—

SIEMSEN & CO.

Haiphong, British ship, 1,122, S. Ashton,

Foochow August 22, Amoy 23, and Swatow

24, General.—DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO.

Fookang, British steamer, from Wham-

poa.

Long Feng, Chinese Revenue-cruiser, from

Macao.

Lorne, British steamer, 1,035, Wm.

Hunter, Singapore August 19, General.—

BUN HIN CHAN.

Kwang Lee, Chinese steamer, 1,508, R.

Andrew, Shanghai August 22, General.—O.

M. S. N. Co.

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Pakhoi August 22, and Hailow 24, General.

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Tantallon, British steamer, 1,310, S.

Partidge, Nagasaki August 19, Coal.—W.

Leaves.

DEPARTURES.

August 25:—

Hai Chong, for Amoy.

Iduna, for Haiphong.

Vorwarts, for Haiphong.

Gordon Castle, for Singapore and London.

Port Adelaide, for Nagasaki.

Yaroslavl, for Singapore.

Deccan, for Singapore and Bombay.

Don Juan, for Manila.

Tamsui, for Shanghai.

Paichow, for Swatow.

Danube, for Bangkok.

Peking, for Whampoa.

CLEARED.

Zafiro, for Amoy and Manila.

Uchiro Wataru, for Bangkok.

Kaisow, for Shanghai.

Fookang, for Shanghai.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

Per Yaroslavl, from Nagasaki, 13 Euro-

peans.

Per Tamsui, from Sydney, &c., 28 Chi-

nese.

Per Haiphong, from Tamsui, 3 Chinese.

Per Peking, from Shanghai, 1 European,

and 37 Chinese.

Per Haiphong, from Coast Ports, Mr.

Kerr, and 45 Chinese.

Per Lorne, from Singapore, 458 Chi-

nese.

Per Kwang Lee, from Shanghai, 88 Chi-

nese.

Per Anton, from Hailow, &c., 75 Chi-

nese.

DEPARTED.

Per Don Juan, for Manila, Mr Bryant,

and Mr Moreno.

Per Lorne, for Amoy, 8 Chinese.

Per Gordon Castle, for Singapore, 12 Chi-

nese.

Per Yaroslavl, for Singapore, 5 Euro-

peans, and 16 Chinese.

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HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, July 25, 1872. 496

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GILMAN & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1882. 14

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pany's Office.

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E. L. WOODIN,
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Hongkong, August 14, 1886. 1538

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G. D. HARMAN,
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Hongkong, August 10, 1886. 1538

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and CARGO, will leave this Port for the
above places.

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principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted until
Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 4
p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on
the 1st September, 1886. (Parcels are not
to be sent on board; they must be left at
the Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are re-
quired.

For further particulars, apply at the
Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.
Hongkong, August 23, 1886. 1606

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Hongkong, August 2, 1886. 1484

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WEEK DAYS. SUNDAYS.
Leave K'loon. Leave K'loon. Leave K'loon. Leave K'loon.
6.00 A.M. 7.00 A.M. 6.00 A.M. 7.00 A.M.
8.00 " 8.30 " 7.30 " 8.00 "
9.00 " 9.30 " 8.00 " 9.00 "
10.00 " 10.30 " 9.00 " 10.00 "
11.00 " 11.30 " 10.00 " 11.00 "
12.00 P.M. 1.00 P.M. 12.00 P.M. 1.00 P.M.
1.30 " 2.00 " 1.30 " 2.00 "
2.30 " 3.00 " 2.30 " 3.00 "
3.30 " 4.00 " 3.30 " 4.00 "
4.30 " 5.00 " 4.30 " 5.00 "
5.30 " 6.00 " 5.30 " 6.00 "
6.30 " 7.00 " 6.30 " 7.00 "
7.15 "

* There will be no Launch on Monday
and Friday, on account of coaling.
The above Time Table will be strictly
adhered to, except under unavoidable cir-
cumstances. In case of stress of weather,
due notice will be given of any stoppages.

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL
REGISTER.

AT 4 P.M.—AUGUST 23.

Station. Barometer. Thermometer. Wind. Force. Rain. Direction of Rain.

Manila. 29.87 82 78 SW 0 0
Hainan. 29.69 83 77 SE 4 0
Hongkong. 29.72 83 77 SE 4 0
Amoy. 29.72 83 77 SE 4 0
Fuzhou. 29.76 83 67 SE 3 0
Shanghai. 29.76 83 67 SE 3 0
Nagasaki. 29.67 73 0 0

AT 10 A.M.—AUGUST 24.

Manila. 29.92 88 65 SW 1 0
Hainan. 29.77 85 7 3 0
Hongkong. 29.89 80 75 3 0
Amoy. 29.19 83 83 NE 1 0
Fuzhou. 29.78 81 67 SE 3 0
Shanghai. 29.78 81 67 SE 3 0
Nagasaki. 29.65 72 96 0 0

The barometer is nearly steady. Gradients
are moderate for S. winds. The tempera-
ture and humidity are rather high, and
cloudy weather prevails.

W. DOBSON,
Government Astronomer.
Hongkong Observatory, August 24.

1. BAROMETER, reduced to 32 degrees Fahr-
enheit, and to the level of the sea in inches, tenths
and hundredths.

2. TEMPERATURE, in the shade in degrees
Fahrheit.

3. HUMIDITY, in percentage of saturation, the
humidity of air saturated with moisture being
100.

4. DIRECTION OF WIND, to two points.
5. FORCE OF WIND, according to Beaufort
Scale.

6. STATE OF SKY, in blue sky, e, de-
tailed clouds, d, drizzling rain, fog, g, gloomy,
h, hail, i, lightning, o, overcast, p, passing showers,
r, rain, s, snow, t, thunder, v, visibility,
w, low (fog).

7. RAIN, in inches, tenths and hundredths.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing at
Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A, near the Kowloon shore K, and those in the body of the
Shipping or mid-way between each shore are marked S, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.
3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's Office to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.
5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

Section.

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings.
8. From Blue Buildings to East Point.
9. From Kowloon Island to North Point.
10. Kowloon Wharves.
11. Jardine's Wharf.

Vessel's Name. Captain. Flag and Rig. Tons. Date of Arrival. Consignees or Agents. Destination. Remarks.

Steamers.

Agassiz 5 k Thomas Brit str 780 July 10 Arnold, Karberg & Co. Laid up

Amaluta 5 k Hamlin Brit str 475 Jan. 31 Russell & Co. Laid up

Anjer Head 5 k Macey Brit str 1300 Aug. 23 Gibb, Livingston & Co. Laid up

Berenice 5 k Bechtlinger A-Hun str 1707 Aug. 24 A-Hungarian Lloyd S.N. Co. Trieste, &c.

Brindisi 5 k Adamson Brit str 2142 Aug. 24 P. & O. S. N. Co. Shanghai

Carisbrook 5 k Cass Brit str 973 Aug. 24 Douglas Steamship Co. Coast Ports

Cassandra 5 k Haeleop Ger str 1087 Aug. 24 Siemens & Co. To-morrow

Cassio 5 k George Brit str 1203 Aug. 24 Arnold, Karberg & Co. To-morrow

City of New York 5 k Searcy Amer str 3120 Aug. 20 P. & O. S. N. Co. San Francisco

Crusader 5 k Rowin Brit str 648 Aug. 1 A. B. Marry Laid up

Dafra 5 k Mooney Brit str 652 May 26 Weller & Co. For sale

Draughton 5 k Tardie Ger str 1659 July 16 Melchers & Co. Laid up

Druckman 5 k Hogg Brit str 900 Aug. 25 Jardine, Matheson & Co. To-morrow

Edvaston 5 k Haeleop Brit str 1301 Aug. 15 Gibb, Livingston & Co. 27th inst.

Edvaston 5 k Wake Amer str 1203 Aug. 24 Mitsui Bussan Kaisha

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